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Cc: R8EISC[R8EISC@epa.gov]
From: Brogden, Rose
Sent: Mon 8/10/2015 7:50:56 PM
Subject: Re: Gold King toxic waste

EPA is committed to working closely with response agencies and state and local officials to ensure the safety of citizens, respond to concerns and to evaluate impact to water contaminated by the Gold King Mine Release. EPA is sharing information as quickly as possible with the public as experts work to evaluate any effects the spill may have on drinking water, public health, agriculture, fish and wildlife. Please see our website for the latest information: <http://www2.epa.gov/region8/gold-king-mine-release-emergency-response>
Regular updates will be posted as they are available.

From: melody [Personal Email/Ex. 6]
Sent: Monday, August 10, 2015 1:06 AM
To: R8EISC
Subject: Gold King toxic waste

Mark Hestmark and all other EPA staff,
This is Melody Skinner, Silverton, CO (Cement Creek runs by my house in Town).

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I have met some of you in meetings in Silverton over the years.

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for all of the work that you have done in San Juan County over many years. I want to thank you for offering a Superfund site in San Juan County and Silverton , even though you have been turned down by San Juan County. You have made an amazing effort to educate everyone here as to what our problems really are, despite a lot of denial.

I clearly understand that this accident is extremely unfortunate. The silver lining to me is that the people living below San Juan County are now very, very, very aware of the mine waste problems here. Thank you for all of your efforts to control and the efforts you will make to clean this up.

Thank you for educating everyone so well now about the huge problem we have hanging above them.

Thank you,
Melody A. Skinner

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